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HIS Majeſty came this Day to the Houſe of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes, ſeated on the Throne with the uſual Solemnity, Sir Francis Molyneux, Knt. Gentleman Uſher of the Black Rod, was ſent with a Meſſage from His Majeſty to the Houſe of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the Houſe of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majeſty was pleaſed to make the following moſt Gracious Speech.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

THE preſent Situation of America, and My conſtant Deſire to have your Advice, Concurrence, and Aſſiſtance, on every important Occaſion, have determined Me to call you thus early together.

Thoſe who have long too ſucceſsfully laboured to inflame My People in America by groſs Miſrepreſentations, and to infuſe into their Minds a Syſtem of Opinions repugnant to the true Conſtitution of the Colonies, and to their ſubordinate Relation to Great Britain, now openly avow their Revolt, Hoſtility, and Rebellion. They have raiſed Troops, and are collecting a Naval Force; they have ſeized the Public Revenue, and aſſumed to themſelves Legiſlative, Executive, and Judicial Powers, which they already exerciſe, in the moſt arbitrary Manner, over the Perſons and Properties of their Fellow Subjects: And although many of theſe unhappy People may ſtill retain their Loyalty, and may be too wiſe not to ſee the fatal Conſequence of this Uſurpation, and wiſh to reſiſt it; yet the Torrent of Violence has been ſtrong enough to compel their Acquieſcence, till a ſufficient Force ſhall appear to ſupport them.

The Authors and Promoters of this deſperate Conſpiracy have, in the Conduct of it, derived great Advantage from the Difference of Our Intentions and theirs. They meant only to amuſe by vague Expreſſions of Attachment to the Parent State, and the ſtrongeſt Proteſtations of Loyalty to Me, whilſt they were preparing for a General Revolt. On Our Part, though it was declared in your laſt Seſſion that a Rebellion exiſted within the Province of the Maſſachuſet's Bay; yet even that Province We wiſhed rather to reclaim than to ſubdue. The Reſolutions of Parliament breathed a Spirit of Moderation and Forbearance; conciliatory Propoſitions accompanied the Meaſures taken to enforce Authority; and the coercive Acts were adapted to Caſes of Criminal Combinations amongſt Subjects not then in Arms. I have acted with the ſame Temper; anxious to prevent, if it had been poſſible, the Effuſion of the Blood of My Subjects, and the Calamities which are inſeparable from a State of War; ſtill hoping that My People in America would have diſcerned the traitorous Views of their Leaders, and have been convinced, that to be a Subject of Great Britain, with all its Conſequences, is to be the freeſt Member of any Civil Society in the known World.

The rebellious War now levied is become more general, and is manifeſtly carried on for the Purpoſe of eſtabliſhing an independent Empire. I need not dwell upon the fatal Effects of the Succeſs of ſuch a Plan. The Object is too important, the Spirit of the Britiſh Nation too high, the Reſources with which God hath bleſſed her too numerous, to give up ſo many Colonies, which ſhe has planted with great Induſtry, nurſed with great Tenderneſs, encouraged with many Commercial Advantages, and protected and defended at much Expence of Blood and Treaſure.

It is now become the Part of Wiſdom, and (in its Effects) of Clemency, to put a ſpeedy End to theſe Diſorders by the moſt deciſive Exertions. For this Purpoſe, I have increaſed My Naval Eſtabliſhment, and greatly augmented My Land Forces; but in ſuch a Manner as may be the leaſt burthenſome to My Kingdoms.

I have alſo the Satisfaction to inform you, that I have received the moſt friendly Offers of Foreign Aſſiſtance; and if I ſhall make any Treaties in conſequence thereof, they ſhall be laid before you. And I have, in Teſtimony of My Affection for My People, who can have no Cauſe in which I am not equally intereſted, ſent to the Garriſons of Gibraltar and Port Mahon a Part of My Electoral Troops, in order that a larger Number of the eſtabliſhed Forces of this Kingdom may be applied to the Maintenance of its Authority; and the National Militia, planned and regulated with equal Regard to the Rights, Safety, and Protection of My Crown and People, may give a farther Extent and Activity to Our Military Operations.

When the unhappy and deluded Multitude, againſt whom this Force will be directed, ſhall become ſenſible of their Error, I ſhall be ready to receive the Miſled with Tenderneſs and Mercy: And in order to prevent the Inconveniencies which may ariſe from the great Diſtance of their Situation, and to remove as ſoon as poſſible the Calamities which they ſuffer, I ſhall give Authority to certain Perſons upon the Spot to grant general or particular Pardons and Indemnities, in ſuch Manner, and to ſuch Perſons, as they ſhall think fit, and to receive the Submiſſion of any Province or Colony which ſhall be diſpoſed to return to its Allegiance. It may be alſo proper to authoriſe the Perſons ſo commiſſioned to reſtore ſuch Province or Colony, ſo returning to its Allegiance, to the free Exerciſe of its Trade and Commerce, and to the ſame Protection and Security as if ſuch Province or Colony had never revolted.

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Commons,

I have ordered the proper Eſtimates for the enſuing Year to be laid before you; and I rely on your Affection to Me, and your Reſolution to maintain the juſt Rights of this Country, for ſuch Supplies as the preſent Circumſtances of our Affairs require. Among the many unavoidable ill Conſequences of this Rebellion, none affects Me more ſenſibly than the extraordinary Burthen which it muſt create to My faithful Subjects.

My Lords, and Gentlemen,

I have fully opened to you My Views and Intentions. The conſtant Employment of My Thoughts, and the moſt earneſt Wiſhes of My Heart, tend wholly to the Safety and Happineſs of all My People, and to the Re-eſtabliſhment of Order and Tranquillity through the ſeveral Parts of My Dominions, in a cloſe Connection and Conſtitutional Dependance. You ſee the Tendency of the preſent Diſorders, and I have ſtated to you the Meaſures which I mean to purſue for ſuppreſſing them. Whatever remains to be done that may farther contribute to this End, I commit to your Wiſdom. And I am happy to add, that, as well from the Aſſurances I have received, as from the general Appearance of Affairs in Europe, I ſee no Probability that the Meaſures which you may adopt will be interrupted by Diſputes with any Foreign Power.

[Price Six Pence.]

St. James's, October 28.

The following Addreſs of the Liverymen of the City of London has been preſented to His Majeſty by Thomas Wellings, Chairman, John Spiller, Gabriel Leekey, William Judd, Evan Pugh, Roger Griffin, and Thomas Moore, Eſquires, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly; and they had the Honour to kiſs His Majeſty's Hand.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

FROM the warmeſt Senſe of Duty to your Majeſty, and Love of our Country; we, your Majeſty's loyal Subjects, Liverymen of the City of London, whoſe Names are hereunto ſubſcribed, with the Freedom we ever mean to aſſert as Engliſhmen, and with that Deference which we owe, as good Subjects, to your Majeſty, preſume to approach your Royal Preſence, and to entreat your Attention to the genuine Sentiments of a loyal and dutiful People.

It is with the deepeſt Concern we obſerve, That our Fellow-Subjects, in your Majeſty's American Colonies, are now in open Rebellion: A malignant Spirit of Reſiſtance to Law and Government has gone forth amongſt them, which we firmly believe has been excited and encouraged by ſelfiſh Men, who hope to derive private Emolument from Publick Calamities; from the Counſels; the Perſuaſions, the Influence of ſuch Men, God protect your Majeſty: The Intereſt, the Honor, the Sovereignty of your Kingdom of Great Britain, are now at Stake. As the Guardian of theſe, we truſt you will ever aſſert and preſerve them. In this great Work be aſſured, Sire, that under your Majeſty's Direction we will, with the greateſt Chearfulneſs, exert ourſelves to the utmoſt of our Abilities in Support of thoſe Laws which are our Protection, and of that Government which is our Bleſſing.

Whilſt we preſume to approach your Majeſty, with Hopes that you will exert the Conſtitutional Power you poſſeſs, to ſubdue ſuch of your deluded People as are now acting in open Defiance of the Laws, permit us, Gracious Sire, to implore your Clemency towards thoſe whoſe Eyes may be opened to a full Conviction of their Offences; and who, hereafter, when Reaſon and Reflection ſhall prevail over Paſſion and Prejudice, may be reſtored to the Allegiance which they owe to the Mother Country and their Sovereign.

That your Majeſty and your Poſterity may long reign over a People, happy in enjoying thoſe Bleſſings which the Acceſſion of your Anceſtors to the Throne of theſe Kingdoms has hitherto inſured to us, is the unfeigned and ardent Wiſh of your Majeſty's moſt dutiful, faithful, and devoted Subjects.

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Evan Pugh
Charles Triquet
Joſeph Kinder
Thomas Hughes
Samuel Weſtwood
William Hillyer
Benjamin Fuller
Peter Ogier
Joſeph Delegale
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Samuel Maſkall
Henry Fletcher
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Miles Burkitt
Robert Edmonds
John Newbold
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John Bowdon
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John Jones
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Hugh Davidſon
Matthew Bloxam
James Spooner
James Vere, *jun.*
Thomas Burkett
James Lawſon
Martin Wilſon
William Bampton
Samuel Serjeant
Henry Scambler
Joſ. Woollams, *jun.*
William Shannon
Henry Skakeſpear
John Holland
Iſaac Walker
Robert Arrowſmith

Joſeph Butterworth
John Richards, *ſen.*
John Ellis
Joſhua Cooke
Benjamin Holmes
Joſiah Fowler
Thomas Harrop
John Jordan
John Smith
John Barnard, *jun.*
Robert Goſling
John Cooke
Charles Ramſhaw
William Harris
William Ladyman
Thomas Palmer
Samuel Townley
Samuel Jacam
Joſeph Hales
Jo Biddlecom
Corn. Van Mildert
William Ames
Thomas Seear
Cha. Runnington
George Scrivener
William Greenly
John Meſin
Thomas Coward
Samuel Spencer
Moſes Waite
Thomas Fleming
John Chapman
William Chapman
Eliſha Urling
Joſ. Lowe
Cecil Pitt
William Kilpin
Thomas Nixon
Henry Pettit
Euclid Harriſon
Francis Allom
John Clark
Joſ. Lindſey
WilliamPemberton
William Moſley
James Duthoit
Thomas Clifford
David Buffar
Joſeph Crick
John Bleaden
Francis Perigal
George Allan
Edward Bury
William Mountain
John Sherrot
George Moore
William Dennis
Joſeph Smith
Robert Vincent
Thomas Jackſon
Nathaniel Hedger
James Jones
Nathaniel Style
E. Smith
Samuel Brathwaite
George Mercer, *jun.*
Thomas Wright
James Bramble
M. H. Wagner
Alex Kennedy
Thomas Palmer
Charles Todd
James Langton
Caleb Smith
Thomas Vardy
William Rhodes
William Hopkins
Richard Gimbert
George Randall
R. Baker
Henry Cothery
William Brown
Richard Hollyer
Joſ. Goodchild
John Willis
William Hornblow
Thomas Warwick
Alexander Burtt
William Stevenſon
William Howard
William Smelt
John Woods
John Patrick
William Looſely
John Page
Anthony Andrews
Edward Crawſhaw
T. Hollingſworth
John Miles
Tomſon Warner
Nicholas Carter

The following Addreſs of the High Sheriff, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Devon, has been preſented to His Majeſty by John Parker, Eſq; One of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, Charles Warwick Bampfylde, Eſq; One of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for the City of Exeter, John Dyke Acland, One of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for Callington in Cornwall, and Henry Arthur Fellowes, Eſq; High Sheriff of the ſaid County of Devon, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the High Sheriff, Gentlemen, Clergy and Freeholders of the County of Devon.

WE, your Majeſty's moſt loyal and dutiful Subjects, the High Sheriff, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Devon, impreſſed with the deepeſt Affection and Loyalty for your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, think, that did we remain ſilent Spectators of the preſent aweful Situation of publick Affairs, we ſhould not perform the Duty we owe to your Majeſty, our Country, Ourſelves, and our Poſterity.

Permit us therefore, in the ſtrongeſt Terms, to aſſure your Majeſty, that the various Arts which have ſucceeded in ſome Part of your Majeſty's Dominions, to inflame the Minds of your Subjects, have been tried on us in vain; poſſeſſed of that manly rational Liberty, which Britons alone enjoy, we cannot, by any Artifice, be induced to imagine Grievances, that do not exiſt, or complain of Oppreſſions we do not feel.

Unable to deceive, theſe Arts have animated us, with that becoming Indignation which muſt actuate the Mind of every Man, jealous of holding his Property, not by uncertain Tenure of Anarchy and Confuſion, but by the wholeſome Regulation of thoſe juſt and wiſe Laws, under which this free Country has ſo long and ſo preeminently flouriſhed.

We are happy thus publickly to acknowledge the Moderation and Juſtice of your Majeſty's Government, thoroughly ſatisfied that a grateful Poſterity will do that Juſtice to a Reign, which the Envy of the Factious and the Ambition of the Diſappointed, may at preſent refuſe.

And here we muſt lament the Infatuation, whilſt we abhor the Conduct of your American Subjects, whoſe daring and unwarranted Attacks on the Legiſlative Rights of Parliament, will, if unſubdued, perpetuate Diſhonour on this Country; and as we cannot but eſteem national Diſhonour the ſure Preſage of national Calamity, we truſt in the Juſtice, Wiſdom, and Vigour of your Majeſty's Councils, that it will be ſpeedily and effectually done away.

May your Majeſty's Throne be eſtabliſhed for ever; may this Conſtitution which enables your Majeſty, and we truſt will enable your lateſt Poſterity, to diffuſe Bleſſings over a happy Land, remain ſacred and inviolate, cheriſhed and ſupported by the Wiſdom of our Deſcendants, as it was formed by the Virtue and Sagacity of our Anceſtors.

Henry Arthur Fellowe, *High Sheriff*
LISBURNE
Bourchier Wrey
John Davie
Tho. Dyke Acland
Jeremiah Milles
John Rolle Walter
John Dyke Acland
J. Lemun Rogers
Thomas Putt
Francis Baſſett
John Fulford
J. Baring
James Carrington
William S. ier
T. Blackall
R. Nutcombe Bluet
Charles Hale
John Buller
H. Acland
Thomas Taylor
John Laroche
Henry Stevens
Ed. Wolferſtan
Nar. Hatherly
Geo. Fu lo g Wiſe
Samuel Newle
Fran. Roſe Drewe
Rich. Roſe Drewe
Thomas Gregg
John Duke
James Pitman
John Steppens
Montague Boothe
John Drake
Richard Rous
William Andrew
William Crowther
Henry Ritſon
Peter Woodley
R. Lewis
William Palmer
H. Fownes Luttrell
George Strong
Joſh. William, *jun.*
Richard Prieſt
Peter Beavy
John Hodge
William Clarke
Edward Drewe
W. Drewe
Adam Pierce
Francis Yarde
John Stoodly, *jun.*
Samuel Cooke
Robert Harding
Thomas Hull
W. Barbor
Thomas Hurſell
Samuel Erſke
J. Andrew
Richard Bawden
W. Walter
Henry Walrond
Bourch. Wrey, *jun.*
Thomas Hugo
Giles Painter
Henry Tarrant
William Williams
J. Farrant
Daniel Sanders
Edward Lee
Ambroſe Rhodes
John Davey
Robert Burrow
Nath. Perkins Pyne
Thomas Tricod
Thomas Furlong
William Oke
William Browning
Richard Smith
Zach. Long
Jonas Dennis
Thomas Drake
John Warmington
Richard Bampfylde
John Locker
Arthur Kelly
Edward Chaſe
Ch. W. Bampfylde
John Cann
John Stoodly
V. Webber
Samuel Milford
Ed. Hodicott
William Ellicombe
Henry Belfield
Edward Chaſe
Joſeph Sanders
Robert Wight
William Fryer
John Howell
Chriſtopher Gullett
John Shatland
Richard Hole
Ga. Gibbs
Charles Bidgood
Herman Drewe
Andrew Pringle
William Hole
Peter Foulkes
William Barber
Solomon Tozer
Thomas Prowſe
Fra. S. Newcombe
John Goſs
R. P. Hamlyn
John Codrington
John Gennys
Richard Marſhall
H. Downman
P. Wright
Henry Walrond
M. Ruſſell
Robert Collier
Edward Hewiſh
Tho. Glaſs, *M.D.*
John Bradford
John Farley
James Luke
George Whitborne
John Bradford
James Puddicombe
Tho. Lamairate
John Lightfoot
Robert Stribling
George Bent
Bernard Wright
John Wiſe
William Penny
H. M. Ellicombe
William Spurway
Charles Chicheſter
Arthur Saunder
George Stawell
Oliver Cawley
Samuel Cawley
Bartholomew Parr
William Flamank
Henry Brutton
T. Shepherd
Philip Matthew
William Farley
Joſeph Pike
Thomas Winſloe
Ralph Barnes
John Wright
Amb. And. Rhodes
J. Bryet
Jſ. Bryet
Abraham Cleeve
Richard Cleeve
William Traies
J. Hale
Tho. WillettSalſten
J. Bradf. Copleſton
Thomas Lee
H. Land
William Stacey
William Newton
Thomas Chappell
E. Ben. De La Fontaine
George H. Clapp
Robert Clapp
Robert Tarrant
Richard Coffin
James Hooke
John Gandy
William Cleeve
Aaron Moore
William Wilkins
Barton Land
John Aſhford
John Welch
R. Blundell
William Jenkins
Joſ. Jenkins
Thomas Hodge
Thomas Dyke Acland, *jun.*
J. Cleveland
George Cary
W. Ilbert
N. Quicke
J. Spooner
J. Henry Southcote
Samuel Weekey
Richard Blake
J. M. Heywood
P. D. Webber
Philip Pownall
George Cooke
John Davie
James Bernard
James Fynes
Thomas Kitſon
William Walker
Michael Southcote
Aug. Saltren Willis
T. Woollcombe
William Putt
Thomas Johnſton
Edmund Forteſcue
John Acland
Gregory Jackſon
Henry Downe
John Luke
Walter Kitſon
John Feayer
F. Buller
Benjamin Shelldon
Thomas Melhuiſh
James Barter
Paul Orchard
W. Marcer
John Simons
Thomas Baker
J. Fownes Luttrell
J. North
John Seale
T. Colman
William Moore
William Kitſon
J. W. Pitman
John Browne
James Hamlyn
Hugh Northcote
P. D. Foulkes
H. F. Luttrell, *jun.*
Edward Payne
Peter Tucker

The following Addreſs of the Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Worceſter, has been preſented to His Majeſty by Edward Foley, Eſq; one of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, and —— Lygon, Eſq; being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

Worceſter, October 23, 1775.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Gentlemen, Clergy and Freeholders of the County of Worceſter, beg Leave to aſſure your Majeſty of our warmeſt Fidelity and Attachment: We are ſorry to obſerve, that the preſent Seaſon is a Criſis which demands an open and explicit Avowal of theſe Sentiments from every loyal and faithful Subject: That Spirit of Riot and Diſorder, which has ſo long prevailed amongſt many of your Majeſty's Subjects in America, has at Length terminated in Rebellion; and we are alarmed leaſt our Silence, at ſuch a Juncture, ſhould, by a miſguided and infatuated People, be conſidered as an Approbation of their Proceedings. We have beheld their Conduct with Indignation and Abhorrence, convinced that it is founded upon the worſt of Motives, an hoſtile and determined Oppoſition to the Legiſlative Authority of their Parent and Protecting Country.

The Supremacy of Great Britain over all its depending Parts is a neceſſary and eſſential Doctrine of the Conſtitution of this great Empire; and as the Executive Power of the Crown can never be ſo duly and properly employed as in the Defence of the Laws and Conſtitution, we truſt and humbly hope, that your Majeſty will now effectually exert that Power in the Support and Vindication of the Legiſlative Rights of this Country.

We aſſure your Majeſty, that in the Proſecution of this juſt and neceſſary Meaſure, we ſhall be ready to afford our beſt Aſſiſtance with Chearfulneſs and Alacrity; convinced, that by ſo doing we ſhall ſupport the true and moſt valuable Intereſts of Commerce, and contribute to the permanent Proſperity of your Majeſty and this Country.

Sam. Weſt, *Sheriff*
PLYMOUTH
DUDLEY & WARD
B. WORCESTER
SANDYS
LYTTELTON
VALENTIA
William Ward
Will. Digby, *Dean of Worceſter*
John Peſhall, *Bart.*
William Arnott
Ed. Foley
William Lygon
Reg. Lygon

John Warren, *Archdeacon of Worceſter*
C. Withers
Jonathan Pytts
Samuel Sandys
Thomas Dunne
W. Wrenford
T. B. Savage
Rich. Harriſon, *Clk.*
Joſeph Berwick
John Bell
Thomas Creſſwell
John Cowper
W. Clieveland
John Hurtle
T. Carver
H. Vaughan Jeffreys
John Baker
Oliver Dixon
John Pidcock
C. Dunſter
J. Clements
T. Swift
Richard Colley
A. Turner
Thomas Holbeche
Richard Amphlett

Thomas Bund
William Hooper
Thomas Blomer
Richard Alcock
Hugh Laurents
John Dandridge
Thomas Pixell
William Naſh
R. M. Mence
Edward Taylor
H. Gyles
Benjamin Peaches
William Davis
Thomas Gorle
Thomas Smith
Thomas Parker
Richard Bellers
Robert Vernon
John Mogridge
Stephen Wilkins
Thomas Williams
Thomas Foley
John Napleton
W. H. Lyttelton
Francis Clare

Benjamin Lane
Thomas Barnes
Thomas Cooke
Thomas Giles
Thomas Wakeman
Samuel Crane
Charles Cooke
William Baylis
William Wain
James Oliver
Nath. Wilkins
John Ballard
Thomas Hill
Francis Wilſon
William Merton
William Bedford
J. Dandridge, *jun.*
Thomas Giles, *jun.*
Gregory Watkins,
One of His Majeſty's Coroners for the ſaid County
Will. Wormington
John Peaches
J. Saunders Sebright

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens of the City of Worceſter, in Council aſſembled, has been preſented to His Majeſty by John Walſh and Thomas Bates Rous, Eſqrs. their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens, of the City of Worceſter, in Council aſſembled.

Moſt gracious Sovereign,

WE, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Citizens, of your ancient and loyal City of Worceſter, humbly beg Leave to approach your Throne, with Hearts full of Zeal to your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, truly ſenſible of the great Benefits we enjoy under your Majeſty's mild and auſpicious Reign.

At the ſame Time we think it our Duty to expreſs our Abhorrence of thoſe ſeditious Principles, which, under the Maſk of Patriotiſm, have been induſtriouſly propagated by artful and evil-deſigning Men through all Ranks of your Majeſty's Subjects in theſe Kingdoms, and have excited a moſt atrocious and unnatural Rebellion in many of your American Colonies, which we implore your Majeſty to ſuppreſs, by an Exertion of the Powers with which you are inveſted; entirely relying on your Majeſty's Wiſdom and paternal Care for ſuch Terms of Conceſſion from the deluded Coloniſts as ſhall be conſiſtent with the Honour of the Crown, the Support of Commerce, and the Welfare of the Britiſh Empire.

And here we beg Leave to inform your Majeſty, that, notwithſtanding the Ceſſation of our Trade to America, we find the principal Manufacture of this City ſtill continues in a flouriſhing State; but whatever Interruptions our Trade may for a Time receive we ſhall chearfully ſubmit to, firmly perſuaded, that Publick Happineſs can never be ſecured till the Legiſlative Authority is acknowledged by all your Majeſty's Subjects in it's fulleſt Extent.

We ſolemnly aſſure your Majeſty, that we are ready to ſacrifice all that is dear to us in Support of your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, and that we will at all Times oppoſe with Vigour every Attempt to violate that Conſtitution which is the Envy of other Nations, and the Glory of our own.

Given under our Common Seal this Twentieth Day of October, in the Year of our Lord One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy-five.

The following Addreſs of the County of Stafford has been preſented to His Majeſty by Sir William Bagot and Sir John Wrotteſley, Baronets, their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty.

WE, your Majeſty's loyal and faithful Subjects of the Populous and Commercial County of Stafford, humbly beg Leave to expreſs our juſt Senſe of your Majeſty's Paternal Care for the Welfare and Proſperity of all your People, and to teſtify our great Concern that your Majeſty's auſpicious Reign ſhould be diſturbed by an ungrateful and unnatural Rebellion in America, encouraged and abetted here by thoſe who, under the ſpecious Veil of Liberty, are ſacrificing the Bleſſings of Order, of true Freedom, and publick Harmony, to factious Views and Gratifications, and who endeavour to unſettle the Foundations that give Unity and Firmneſs to the Whole, by reſtraining the Legiſlative Power of the Britiſh Parliament, and conteſting its original and inherent Authority, which muſt extend to every Part of the Britiſh Empire.

Far from being actuated by vindictive Principles, we ſincerely wiſh to ſee Peace and Harmony reſtored to our Fellow-Subjects in America: But when we obſerve a preſumptuous Faction daring to addreſs the Electors of Great Britain at large to countenance Rebellion, and with-hold every Means that can enable your Majeſty to quell it; at ſuch a Juncture, Duty, Gratitude, and Regard for the whole Community, call upon us to concur with the reſt of you Majeſty's loyal Subjects, in offering our faithful Services for the Support of our excellent Conſtitution, and of your Majeſty's mild and impartial Government; well aſſured, that whatever we can offer and contribute, will be directed by your Majeſty's Wiſdom to the Common Good, of maintaining the Dignity of the Crown, and of the Eſtates of this Realm, and of promoting the real Intereſts of the Subject, by the moſt ſalutary and effectual Meaſures.

John Williamſon, *Sheriff*
Dudley & Ward
Paget
William Ward
A. Curzon
H. S. Bridgeman
E. Beſt
William Inys
James Stalford
Moreton Walhouſe
Edw. W. Okeover
Abraham Hoſkins
Davies Davenport
John Turton
John Saville
Henry Walton
George Parker
Thomas Whitby
Francis Eld
John Fernyhough
John Fenton
B. Boothby
A. Campbell
William Garmeſon
Thomas Dudley
Charles Clarke
J. Bill
John Barker
W. Bagot
R. Congreve
R. Whitworth
W. Swinnerton
Walter Bagot
William Pigott
R. Sneyd
W. Sneyd
G. Mills
E. Leigh
J. Daniell
James Falconer
G. Butt
Andrew Newton
Charles Cotes
J. Fenton
John Downing
E. Stillingfleet

Henry Lea
Simon Collins
George Godfrey
Thomas Hudſon
Robert Foreſter
Titus Neve
Thomas Leward
Cary Butt
J. C. Woodhouſe
Henry Bridgeman
Richard Fitzherbert
John Eld
Thomas Tomkys
J. Sneyd
J. Dickenſon
Lewis Hall
Thomas Unett
William Haddersich
John Herbert
Thomas Wright
Thomas Pratt
Richard Blythe
James Swann
George Greatbach
Thomas Fletcher
Edward Dickenſon
Joſeph Scott
John Stevenſon
Francis Lycett
Thomas Salt
William Wetwood
George Ray
Brooke Crutchley
John Lycett
Thomas Scott
Michael Harding
Thomas Wright
Samuel Peake
John Murhall
John Cotton
Edward Byrd
William Archer
George Cookes
Thomas Padmore
J. Brooks
John Perks

William Manſfield
William Harding
Abraham Duncalfe
John Pooler
Thomas Sant
William Bagnold
Joſ. Turnock
James Bickerton
Samuel Wright
William Stanton
Charles Howard
S. Fernyhough
John Ward
William Bill
Thomas Lawton
James Godwin
Joſ. Twigg
Joſeph Storkey
Tho. Smith Phillips
John Marſh
Thomas Salter
Roger Hall
J. Wrotteſley
T. Parker
Thomas Bradney
William Corne
Joſeph Cattlow
J. Moſeley
John Baker
John Lander
W. Keen
J. Curtis
E. Dickenſon
J. Fenton, *jun.*
William Beard
Thomas Fenton
J. Sparrow
J. Clownam
Edward Sneyd
William Robinſon
John Eaton
Robert Stevenſon
Michael Barbor
R. Warren
Thomas Dicken
Henry Jervis

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council, of the City of Glouceſter, in Council aſſembled, has been preſented to His Majeſty by George Selwyn, Eſq; One of their Repreſentatives in Parliament, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-Chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty.

WE, your Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council, of the City of Glouceſter, in Council aſſembled, impreſſed with a grateful Senſe of the many and great Bleſſings we enjoy under your Majeſty's mild and auſpicious Government, beg Leave to approach the Throne, to teſtify our Aſtoniſhment at and Abhorrence of the unnatural Rebellion which prevails amongſt the deluded Colonies in America, and to aſſure your Majeſty of our utmoſt Aſſiſtance and Support in maintaining the Legiſlative Authority of Great Britain over all your Dominions.

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The paternal Care and Affection which your Majesty extends to all your Subjects, and your unwearied Endeavours for the Support of their Religious and Civil Liberties, give us the pleasing Assurances, that no Efforts will be wanting to bring back the rebellious Americans to a just Sense of their Duty and Allegiance, and to restore the Blessings of Peace, and establish it upon a firm and permanent Foundation.

That your Majesty may triumph over all the Enemies of our happy Constitution, and long continue to reign over a free and united People, is our sincere and ardent Prayer.

Given under our Common Seal the Twentieth Day of October, in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy-five.

N. B. Many other Addresses have been presented to His Majesty, but are omitted for Want of Room, and shall be inserted as soon as possible.

St. James's, October 25.

This Day, being the Anniversary of the King's Accession to the Throne, who entered into the Sixteenth Year of his Reign, there was a numerous and splendid Appearance of the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction, to compliment His Majesty upon the Occasion. At One o'Clock the Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired: And in the Evening there were Illuminations, and other Publick Demonstrations of Joy in London and Westminster.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 27th Day of *October*, 1775,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased, by His Orders in Council of the 23d of August and the 27th of September last, to direct that no Person or Persons whatsoever should at any Time, during the respective Terms therein mentioned, presume to transport out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Saltpetre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, (except the Master-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance for His Majesty's Service) without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty or His Privy Council. And whereas it has been represented to this Board, that it will tend greatly to the Advantage of Trade for a General Order in Council to be issued, to permit and allow Saltpetre and Gunpowder to be carried Coastwise in small Quantities, under certain Restrictions, to be prescribed by the said Order; — His Majesty, taking the same into Consideration, is hereby pleased, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, that Saltpetre and Gunpowder be permitted to be carried Coastwise to and from any of the Ports of this Kingdom, notwithstanding His Majesty's aforementioned Orders in Council of the 23d of August and 27th of September last; provided that no greater Quantity of Saltpetre and Gunpowder be shipped, laden, or carried Coastwise at any one Time, in any one Ship or Vessel, than One Ton of Saltpetre and Fifty Barrels of Gunpowder, except such as shall be shipped, laden, or carried Coastwise by Direction of the Master-General, Lieutenant-General, and Principal Officers of the Ordnance for His Majesty's Service; and also except such as shall obtain Leave or Permission in that Behalf from His Majesty or His Privy Council; and provided also, that sufficient Security be first given to the proper Officers of His Majesty's Customs, in Treble the Value of the Saltpetre and Gunpowder desired to be sent Coastwise, to carry the same to the Places proposed, and none other; and that a Certificate or Certificates be produced, within One Month from the Date of the Bond, from the proper Officers of the Customs at the Ports for which the respective Quantities of Saltpetre and Gunpowder shall be shipped, of the same having been duly landed at such Ports; in Failure of which the Bonds to be immediately put in Suit: Which Certificate or Certificates the Commissioners of the Customs are hereby required to transmit to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in order to be laid before this Board. And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary Directions herein accordingly.

G. Chetwynd.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 27th Day of *October*, 1775,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty was pleased, by His Orders in Council of the 23d of August and 27th of September last, to direct, That no Person or Persons whatsoever should at any Time during the respective Terms therein-mentioned, presume to transport out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Saltpetre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, (except the Master-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majesty's Service) without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty, or His Privy Council; and whereas it hath been represented to this Board, that it will tend greatly to the Advantage of Trade for a General Order in Council to be issued to permit and allow Saltpetre and Gunpowder to be exported to Ireland in small Quantities, under certain Restrictions to be prescribed by the said Order; — His Majesty, taking the same into Consideration, is hereby pleased, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, that Saltpetre and Gunpowder be permitted to be exported to Ireland, for the Inland Consumption of that Kingdom from any of the Ports of this Kingdom, notwithstanding His Majesty's aforementioned Orders in Council of the 23d of August and 27th of September last; provided that no greater Quantity of Saltpetre and Gunpowder be shipped, laden, or exported to Ireland, at any one Time, in any one Ship or Vessel, than one Ton of Saltpetre, and Twenty-five Barrels of Gunpowder, except such as shall be shipped, laden, or exported by Direction of the Master-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majesty's Service; and also except such as shall obtain Leave or Permission in that Behalf from His Majesty, or His Privy Council; And provided also, that sufficient Security be first given to the proper Officers of His Majesty's Customs in Treble the Value of the Saltpetre and Gunpowder desired to be exported, to carry the same to the Places proposed, and none other; and that a Certificate or Certificates be produced within Two Months from the Date of the Bond, from the proper Officers of the Customs at the Ports for which the respective Quantities of Saltpetre and Gunpowder shall be shipped, of the same having been all duly landed at such Ports; in Failure of which the Bonds to be immediately put in Suit: Which Certificate or Certificates the Commissioners of the Customs are hereby required to transmit to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, in order to be laid before this Board: And the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary Directions herein accordingly.

G. Chetwynd.

Copenhagen, October 14. An Edict has been published here, prohibiting the Exportation of Warlike Stores, and other Articles of Commerce serving for Military Armaments, to the Danish Colonies; of which the following is a Translation.

We, Christian the Seventh, by the Grace of God, King of Denmark and Norway, &c. &c. &c. Whereas His Majesty The King of Great Britain has desired us to forbid our Subjects giving any Manner of Assistance to the Inhabitants of North America, who are engaged in open War against England; and We are disposed to comply with this friendly Requisition; therefore We will and enjoin, by these Presents, all our Subjects, whether Traders or others, not to presume, till our Pleasure be farther made known, to send, for the Purpose of Traffick, either for their own Account, or that of others, unto Our Islands and Colonies in America, on Board ships carrying our Flag, or provided with our Sea-Passports, any Ammunition or other Commodities whatever serving for Warlike Armaments, and considered as Articles of Trade; or to take Part in any such Contraband Trade which is disagreeable to Us, and liable to many Misfortunes to themselves; the Whole on Pain of arbitrary and severe Punishment for those who shall presume to infringe this Our gracious Ordinance.

To which all and singular Our Custom-House Officers in Our Kingdoms of Denmark and Norway, and in Our Principalities, as also our Governor General, Regency, and Council, in our West India Islands, are respectfully to conform themselves, and by so doing will be indemnified for all Damages.

Given under Our Royal Hand and Seal, in our Royal Castle of Fredensburg, the 4th of October 1775.

CHRISTIAN R.

(Countersigned) *Moltke. Prætorius. Erichsen.*

Trans.

ERRATUM.

In last Tuesday's Gazette, Page 2. Col. 2. Lines 19 and 20 from the Bottom, for Thomas Thurlow, Clerk, *Batchelor in Divinity*, read, *Doctor in Divinity*.

St. James's, October 21, 1775.

IT is His Majesty's Pleasure that all Officers belonging to His Majesty's 15th, 37th, 53d, 54th, and 55th Regiments of Foot, now serving in Ireland, do immediately repair to their respective Corps in that Kingdom, except such as belong to the additional Companies of those Regiments, or may be employed in Ireland on the Recruiting Service.

ROCHFORD.

Admiralty Office, October 28, 1775.

WHereas several of the Lieutenants of His Majesty's Fleet, who are unemployed, have not sent to this Office the Places of their Residence; It is the Direction of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that all such Lieutenants of His Majesty's Fleet, as come within the above Description, do forthwith transmit to this Office the Place of their respective Residence; and that they do, for the Future, continue to do the like whenever they remove to any other Place.

Ph. Stephens.

Admiralty-Office, October 24, 1774.

PUrsuant to an Act of Parliament passed in the Twenty-sixth Year of His late Majesty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been sent to this Office, That on the 19th Instant the Ship Success, of Jersey, of the Burthen of about Eighty Tons, whereof Philip Baillian was Master, bound from Newcastle to Jersey, laden with Coals, having lost her Anchors and Cables in a violent Storm of Wind, the Master was obliged to run her on the Main near Yarmouth Haven in the County of Norfolk, where she soon after sunk, and with all her Cargoe is likely to be lost.

Ph. Stephens.

AVERAGE PRICES of CORN,

From October 16, to October 21, 1775.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Bushel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
London,	4	11	3	4	3	3	2	0	3	4
COUNTIES INLAND.										
Middlesex,	5	1	——		3	2	2	1	3	4
Surry,	5	0	3	6	3	6	2	3	4	2
Hertford,	4	8	3	5	3	4	2	2	3	8
Bedford,	4	9	3	8	3	1	2	2	3	2
Cambridge,	4	2	3	0	3	3	1	10	2	11
Huntingdon,	4	5	——		3	0	1	9	3	3
Northampton,	5	0	3	9	3	0	2	0	3	4
Rutland,	4	7	——		2	10	1	9	3	3
Leicester,	5	2	3	11	3	3	1	11	3	7
Nottingham,	4	9	3	8	3	3	1	11	3	7
Derby,	5	3	——		3	4	1	11	3	8
Stafford,	5	8	4	4	3	4	1	11	3	9
Salop,	5	11	4	7	3	2	1	8	3	11
Hereford,	5	4	——		2	9	1	8	——	
Worcester,	5	4	3	10	3	4	2	3	3	10
Warwick,	5	1	——		3	6	2	4	4	9
Gloucester,	6	0	——		3	3	2	2	3	11
Wilts,	4	11	——		3	1	2	4	4	4
Berks,	4	9	——		3	1	2	4	3	4
Oxford,	5	2	——		3	4	2	8	4	0
Bucks,	4	9	——		3	1	2	9	3	2
COUNTIES upon the COAST.										
Essex,	4	11	3	7	3	4	2	3	3	6
Suffolk,	4	10	3	0	3	2	2	1	2	10
Norfolk,	4	8	3	1	2	11	1	10	3	2
Lincoln,	4	9	3	9	3	0	1	8	3	6
York,	5	0	3	9	3	5	1	10	3	9
Durham,	4	9	3	6	3	7	1	10	4	1
Northumberland,	4	6	3	7	2	11	1	9	3	6
Cumberland,	4	10	3	7	3	0	1	9	3	8
Westmorland,	5	7	——		3	0	1	9	——	
Lancashire,	5	6	——		3	3	2	1	3	5
Cheshire,	5	9	4	1	3	10	1	9	——	
Monmouth,	5	4	——		3	1	1	9	——	
Somerset,	5	7	3	0	3	2	2	0	3	5
Devon,	5	0	——		3	0	1	7	——	
Cornwall,	5	1	——		2	6	1	7	——	
Dorset,	5	5	——		3	3	2	1	4	0
Hampshire,	5	0	——		3	1	2	4	3	10
Sussex,	4	10	——		3	1	2	2	3	11
Kent,	5	1	——		3	3	2	3	3	1

From October 9, to October 14, 1775.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
WALES.										
North Wales,	5	5	4	3	2	11	2	5	4	0
South Wales,	5	6	4	7	3	2	1	6	2	8
Part of SCOTLAND.										
	4	1	——		2	8	2	8	2	7

Published by Authority of Parliament,

Willm Cooke.

St James's, October 27, 1775.

WHereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That on the 30th Day of September last, between the Hours of Eight and Nine o'Clock at Night, William Oswell, Peter Crosthwaite, and John Clark, Officers in the Service of His Majesty's Customs at Blyth in the Port of Newcastle, observing a Boat coming in the River, put off in the King's Boat in order to examine and search the same: That being thus in the Execution of their Duty, and within Two or Three Yards of the said Boat, or thereabouts, the Persons on Board fired at the Officers several Shot, one of which wounded the said Oswell on the Knee, and others went through the Boat: That the said Persons pursuing them, and continuing their Fire, the Officers thought themselves obliged, for the Preservation of their Lives, to run the Boat on Shore to quit her and make their Escape: That the said Persons afterwards feloniously took and carried away the said Boat, with her Tackle and Furniture.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in so daring and dangerous an Offence, is hereby pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

SUFFOLK.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs do hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to the Person making such Discovery, to be paid by the Receiver General of His Majesty's Customs, upon Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.

Edw. Stanley, *Secretary.*

Custom-House, London, October 7, 1775.

FOR SALE,

BY Order of the Honourable the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, in the Long Room at the Custom-House, on Thursday and Friday the 26th and 27th, and Tuesday the 31st of October instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, in small Lots of about Two Hogsheads each,

SUGAR.

Hh.	T.	B.	
68	0	0	Barbadoes.
165	69	0	Antigua.
120	83	55	St. Kitts.
96	25	26	Nevis.
46	40	11	Montserrat.
260	10	1	Grenada.
40	26	0	St. Vincent's.
71	6	6	Tortola.
122	10	6	Tobago.

27 Casks Coffee, and 3 Casks Cocoa, from St. Vincent's.
3 Casks Coffee, 1 Cask Cocoa, and 1 Cask Indigo, from Grenades.

Samples to be seen in Wycherley's-yard, opposite Bear Key, the 24th and 25th Instant.

General Post Office, September 28, 1775.

A Mail will be dispatched from hence on Wednesday next for New York, and also one for Charles Town, after which there will be no regular Conveyance for Letters from this Office to North America, but whenever a Packet may be dispatched to any Part of that Continent, proper Notice will be given. By Command of the Post-master General,

Anth. Todd, *Secretary.*

Admiralty-Office, October 4, 1775.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas, within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Wednesday the 8th of November next, at Justice Hall in the Old Bailey, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Ph. Stephens.

Navy-Office, October 25, 1775.

THE Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 22d of November next, at One o'Clock, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to supply His Majesty's Yards at Deptford, Woolwich, Chatham and Sheerness, with Brazier's Ware, on a standing Contract.